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SUBJECT: ASEAN TRADE FAIR

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1. EMBOFF CALLED JANUARY 27 ON IKE BEGONIA, DEPUTY SYG OF ASEAN TRADE FAIR SECRETARIAT, TO DISCUSS GSP SEMINAR AND OTHER PREPARATIONS OF FAIR. BEGONIA WAS DISAPPOINTED THAT USG WOULD NOT SHOULDER COSTS OF ATTENDANCE BY ASEAN OFFICIALS AT GSP SEMINAR. HE DID AGREE, HOWEVER, THAT FAIR WOULD NOT CHARGE USG FOR RENTAL OF FACILITIES.

2. BEGONIA WAS INTERESTED IN STRUCTURE AND CONTENT OF GSP SEMINAR AS WELL AS NAMES AND POSITIONS OF USG OFFICIALS WHO WILL BE CONDUCTING THE SEMINAR. HE SUGGESTED THT THE SEMINAR BE HELD ON MAY 15 TO 16 WITH FORMAL SESSIONS IN THE MORNINGS AND INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS IN THE AFTERNOONS.

3. EMBOFF REMINDED BEGONIA THAT FAIR WAS ONLY A FEW MONTHS OFF AND WE NEEDED URGENTLY COPY FOR ARTICLES IN COMMERCE AMERICAN AND TRADE USA. HE TOOK NOTE OF OUR
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PRODDING AND PROMISED TO SEE WHAT HE CAN DO.

4. REGARDING BANCOM SEMINAR, "INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS FORUM", BANCOM CONTROL OFFICER JANET HO IS NOW ON A TOUR OF ASEAN COUNTRIES PROMOTING ATTENDANCE AT THE SEMINAR. COST OF ATTENDANCE IS \$250 FOR ASEAN CITIZENS AND \$300 FOR NON-ASEAN'S. SHE APPARENTLY HAS TAKEN ALL OF AVAILABLE

BROCHURES WITH HER, BUT WE ARE SENDING XEROX OF COPY OBTAINED FROM DEPARTMENT OF TRADE. ALSO, WE HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT SPEAKERS HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED, AND CONTACTED, BUT NONE ARE FIRMED UP. FINALLY, MISS HO WILL BE GOING TO EUROPE AND THE UNITED STATES IN FEBRUARY TO PROMOTE THE SEMINAR. WHEN WE RECEIVE FURTHER INFORMATION, DEPARTMENT MAY BE ASSURED THAT WE WILL FORWARD IT.

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